

Office of Assistant Treasurer N. S.,

New York, Oct 29th. 1881

Sir:

I beg to state below the amount of a lot of old coin held in our vaults for which I would be glad to obtain one cent pieces or other available money, if possible.

\$1.200	- Old copper cents - mostly battered	
2.100	" bronze 2 ^d pieces,	do
1.000	" Nickel 1 ^d "	do
1.900	" bronze 1 ^d "	do
1.600	" Nickel 5 ^d "	do
7.800		
35.000	" Silver 3 ^d , good condition	
9.000	" Nickel 3 ^d ,	do.

From a recent decision reported in the newspapers I infer that you are authorized to give new coin for some of the denominations noted

above. If such is the case will
you kindly advise me in the matter,
with particulars; and if it suits the
convenience of your office to take
any of this unserviceable coin, I
will ask the authority of the Depart-
ment to transfer it to you, either for
credit of the Treasurer U.S., or for
exchange for new coin,

During the past few months
large amounts of Nickel 5's have been
disposed of leaving a balance still in
hand of about \$70,000. all in good
order.

Very respectfully,
Wm. H. H. H.
Asst. Treasurer.

Mr. Louder Snowden,

Capt Hunt,

Philadelphia

72th

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Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
NEW YORK,

Oct 29, 1881

Thos. Hillhouse.
Assistant Treasurer U. S.

Wants to exchange
\$7,800. mutilated minor
coins; \$9,000 good 3¢
nickels; & \$35,000
good 3¢ silver coins
for 1¢ & 2¢ coins.

No. of Enclosures,

Rec'd Oct 31/81

[Abstract:] Wants to exchange \$7,800 mutilated minor coins... 1018

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From a recent decision reported in the newspaper I infer that you are authorized to give new coin for some of the denominations noted above. If such is the case will you kindly advise me in the matter, with particulars, and if it suits the convenience of your office to take any of this unavailable coin, I will ask the authority of the Department to transfer it to you, either for credit of the Treasurer U.S., or for exchange for new coin.

During the past few months larger amounts of nickel 5¢ have been disposed of leaving a balance still in hand of about \$70,000 all in good order.

Very respectfully,
Thos. Hillhouse
Asst. Treasurer U.S.
F.J.B.

Hon. A. Loudon Snowden
Supt. Mint
Philadelphia